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L/PM - Dalton ok PM/DDTC - RSKovac
NSC - Chang ok H - Nickel info
PM/CPA - Greer ok PM/DTCL - Maloney
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Dear Madam Speaker:

Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement to include the export of technical data, defense services, and defense articles in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of technical data, defense services and defense articles to Belgium for the manufacture of F101, F110, and F118 aircraft engine parts.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Matthew A. Reynolds
Assistant Secretary
Legislative Affairs

Enclosure:

Transmittal No. DDTC 092-08

The Honorable
Nancy Pelosi,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
TRANSMITTAL NO. DDTC 092-08
CERTIFICATION OF PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF AN EXPORT
LICENSE PURSUANT TO SECTION 36(c)
OF THE ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT

(1) Foreign Country or International Organization to Which Export Will Be Made:
Belgium

(2) Dollar Value of the Proposed Export:

(a) Current Notification Value: \$74,018,410

(b) Total Value: \$439,618,410

(3) Description of the Transaction:

(a) Current Notification Scope: General Electric Company proposes a rebaselined manufacturing license agreement (MLA) for the continued production of F101, F110, and F118 aircraft engine parts by Techspace Aero SA of Belgium. Specifically, Techspace Aero SA will be manufacturing high pressure turbine disks and fan rotor disks for these aircraft engines. This rebaseline was initiated by General Electric Company to consolidate previous amendments to the MLA and to comply with recent amendments to the ITAR. This authorization increases the value of engine components manufactured abroad.

(b) Total Scope: This effort was originally notified to Congress for \$365,600,000 on September 5, 2006 under CN 025-06.

(4) Offset Arrangement: None

(5) Authorized Sales Territory: Belgium, Turkey, and the United States

(6) Date Certification Delivered to Congress:

NOTE: This report, although unclassified, is derived from information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant which is subject to the confidentiality requirements of section 38(e) of the Arms Export Control Act. Disclosure of an applicant's prices and customers could result in competitive injury.

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The Honorable
Joseph R. Biden, Jr. Chairman,
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Dear Senator Lugar:

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Richard G. Lugar,
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Dear Ms. Ros-Lehtinen:

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Ileana Ros-Lehtinen
Committee on Foreign Affairs,
House of Representatives.

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The Honorable
Richard B. Cheney,
President of the Senate.